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A. QUAID et al. )  
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For: **GUIDANCE SYSTEM AND** )  
**METHOD FOR SURGICAL** )  
**PROCEDURES WITH** )  
**IMPROVED FEEDBACK** )  
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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action of June 16, 2006.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

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